

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	John Sherry
Application No.:	09/978383
Filed:	October 16, 2001
For:	AORTIC ARTERY ANEURYSM ENDOVASCULAR PROSTHESIS
Examiner:	Suzette J. Jackson
Group Art Unit:	3738

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

MAR 30 2004

OFFICIAL

Mail Stop _____
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Docket No.: S63.2B-11467-US01

AMENDMENT

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated **October 31, 2003**.

An extension of time is believed to be required to make this response timely and if no separate petition is enclosed, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time sufficient to make the response timely. In the event that this response requires the payment of government fees and payment is not enclosed, please charge Deposit Account No. 22-0350.

Please amend the application as follows: